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'PLANNING FOR MY FUTURE' ART CONTEST OPEN TO ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS GRADES 7-12

(BOISE) -- Please join the Idaho State Department of Education in notifying all students grades 7-12 that the 1st annual **Planning for my Future Art Contest** begins August 24, 2015.

Superintendent Sherri Ybarra is asking students across the state to be part of the contest, capturing their personal vision of what it means for schools and students to achieve, and to visualize their college or career goals for the future showing persistence, determination, and grit. The following lists criteria and considerations for the **Planning for my Future Art Contest**:

1. The art contest is open to all public school students grades 7-12.
2. Artwork should visualize two key questions:
    - What are your college or career goals?
    - How does perseverance in education contribute to your success?
3. Artwork should be submitted in an 8.5" x 11" portrait format.
4. Artwork must be properly labeled with the following:
    - Name of student, Grade of student, District and school which student attends, Name of teacher
5. Students may use any medium they choose. (i.e. paint, pencil, digital, etc.)
6. Students must be advised that entry into this contest constitutes, 1) a waiver of all copyrights of their entries, and 2) department permission to republish entries without compensation.
7. Artwork will not be returned.
8. The winning entry will be displayed on a future Idaho State Department of Education publication, and also displayed at www.sde.idaho.gov.
9. Submissions must be postmarked by December 1, 2015 and the winner will be notified on December 15, 2015. Artwork must be mailed to:

    Idaho State Department of Education
    Attn: Portia Flynn
    P.O. Box 83720
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Questions may be directed to Portia Flynn at (208) 332-6815 or pflynn@sde.idaho.gov.

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Attachment: Planning for My Future Art Contest Flyer